

House Resolution No. 3874

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have admirably answered the patriotic call to national service through their enlistment in a branch of the United States military; and

Whereas, Specialist Samuel James McCanless of Florissant is a Wheels Mechanic with the 245th Maintenance Company in the United States Army Reserve; and

Whereas, currently serving on active duty in Baghdad, Iraq, Specialist Samuel McCanless is a graduate of Hazelwood West High School who will reach the age of twenty-one during September 2004; and

Whereas, Specialist Samuel McCanless has served in the United States Army Reserve for three years, during which time he has earned numerous awards for the excellence of his professional endeavors which have taken place in the societal turmoil caused by the international struggle against global terrorism; and

Whereas, Specialist Samuel McCanless is the beloved son of Bobby and Bernie McCanless who are justifiably proud of his splendid accomplishments thus far in life; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse daily endeavors in order to recognize such outstanding young citizens as Specialist Samuel McCanless of the United States Army Reserve:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to salute Specialist Samuel McCanless and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt commendation of his accomplishments while serving overseas in Baghdad, Iraq; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Specialist Samuel James McCanless of the 245th Maintenance Company in the Army Reserve.

Offered by _____
Representative Clint Zweifel
District No. 78

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3874, adopted August 18, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker